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***PATENT***

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Title: FLEXIBLE SCHEDULING OF NETWORK  
DEVICES WITHIN REDUNDANT AGGREGATE  
CONFIGURATIONS

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**AMENDMENT B**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 18, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated in the following pages.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.